

Settlement of Administrative Civil Liability (ACL) Complaint

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
LOS ANGELES REGION**

**NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE CIVIL LIABILITY
COMPLAINT NO. R4-2010-0211**

Written Comments due by 5:00 P.M., April 23, 2012

Notice is hereby given that on March 14, 2012, a Settlement Agreement and Stipulation for Entry of Administrative Liability Order (Stipulation) was entered into between the Executive Officer of the Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Water Board), and Mr. Hovsep Gezalian and Mr. Sarkis Gezalian (Respondents), owners of Diamond Tire Center, located at 16604 Pioneer Boulevard, Artesia.

On December 17, 2010, the Executive Officer issued Administrative Complaint No. R4-2010-0211 (Complaint) for administrative civil liability to Respondents for allegedly violating Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R4-2006-0025. The Complaint proposed the imposition of \$310,130 in administrative civil liability.

Under the proposed Stipulation, the Respondents have agreed to pay \$25,000 in administrative civil liability. Please see below for the Administrative Civil Liability Complaint, Settlement Agreement, Stipulation for Entry Order, and proposed Order. The Respondents understand that payment of administrative civil liability in accordance with the terms of this Stipulated Order and/or compliance with the terms of the Stipulation is not a substitute for compliance with applicable laws, and that continuing violations of the type alleged in the Complaint may subject it to further enforcement, including additional administrative civil liability.

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You may submit written comments, which must be received by **5:00 p.m. on April 23, 2012**. Comments must be addressed to Dr. Yue Rong, Regional Water Quality Control Board, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles, California, 90013, or emailed to yrong@waterboards.ca.gov. Please refer to Complaint R4-2010-0211. The Settlement Agreement, proposed Stipulated Order, and other relevant documents may be examined at the Regional Board's office at 320 West 4th Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles, California, 90013. For additional information, please contact Dr. Yue Rong at (213) 576-6710.